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For: COMPOSITIONS OF POLYPEPTIDES SPECIFIC TO

PATHOGENIC STRAINS AND THEIR USE AS VACCINES

AND IN IMMUNOTHERAPHY

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July 21, 2010

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## **PETITION TO EXTEND**

Petition is hereby made to extend the life of the above-entitled application for three (3) month(s) from the due date of April 21, 2010, of the Official Action dated January 21, 2010.

An extension fee of \$1110.00 is now attached in order that a Request for a continuation application may be filed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any <u>deficiency</u> in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our **Account No. 14-1140**.

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Respectfully submitted,

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